19322. Adulteration of canned tuna. U. S. v. 47 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 33269. Sample No. 5967-L.)

LIBEL FILED: May 21, 1952, District of Massachusetts.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about February 15, 1951, from New York. N. Y.

PRODUCT: 47 cases, each containing 48 15½-ounce cans, of tuna at Lawrence.

Mass.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance. (Examination disclosed that the product was undergoing chemical decomposition.) The product was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: July 21, 1952. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

19323. Adulteration of crabmeat. U. S. v. 14 Pounds, etc. (F. D. C. Nes. 33360, 33361. Sample Nos. 57217-L to 57219-L, incl.)

LIBELS FILED: June 30, 1952, District of Maryland.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about June 25, 1952, by J. H. Fleming & Co., from Phoebus, Va.

PRODUCT: 146 pounds of crabmeat at Baltimore, Md. Examination showed that the product was contaminated with *B. coli* of fecal origin and was produced under insanitary conditions.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy animal substance; and, Section 402 (a) (4), the article was produced under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: July 24, 1952. Default decrees of condemnation and destruction.

19324. Adulteration of crabmeat. U. S. v. 1 Barrel * * *. (F. D. C. No. 33369. Sample Nos. 57215-L, 57216-L.)

LIBEL FILED: June 30, 1952, Eastern District of Pennsylvania.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about June 25, 1952, by J. H. Fleming & Co., from Portsmouth, Va.

PRODUCT: 1 barrel containing 76 pounds of crabmeat at Philadelphia, Pa.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (4), the product was prepared under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with *B. coli* of human fecal origin.

DISPOSITION: August 20, 1952. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

19325. Adulteration of crabmeat. U. S. v. 1 Barrel * * *. (F. D. C. No. 33359. Sample Nos. 4112-L to 4114-L, incl.)

LIBEL FILED: July 24, 1952, Eastern District of Pennsylvania.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about July 22, 1952, by the Wilson Seafood Co.. from Deal Island, Md.

PRODUCT: 1 barrel containing 57 1-pound cans of crabmeat at Philadelphia, Pa.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance; and, Section 402 (a) (4), the article was prepared under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with *B. coli* of human origin.

Disposition: August 20, 1952. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. 259441—53——2